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Subject(s)

- 1. FOM 901-6, Legal Status.
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- 8. FOM 903-13, Children's Benefit Fund.
- 9. FOM 903-14, Payments Systems Procedures.
- 10. FOM 905-3, Foster Care Rates.
- 11. FOM 905-5, Rates for Child Care Institutions and PAFC Providers (A-Z).

1) FOM 901-6, Legal Status

Clarifications were added to this policy item. CI-18-100, Legal Status 44 Change was incorporated into policy. The last court action to terminate parental rights must be a release for a child to be committed as an Act 296. The fund source for dual wards is based on the commitment legal status not the delinquent legal status.

2) FOM 901-7, Service Types and Living Arrangements

Hyperlinks and policy references were updated.

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3) FOM 901-8, Fund Sources

Hyperlinks and policy references were updated. Child Care Fund (CCF) details were removed and this item instead refers to SRF
904, Child Care Fund Handbook Published Policies and Procedures.

4) FOM 901-9, Payment Source Guide

Changes were made to reflect that all payments including Child Care Fund source are made from MiSACWIS. Details on fund source changes by age were added to this policy item.

5) FOM 903-1, Payment Overview

The title of the policy item was changed from Introduction to Paid Service Authorizations to Payment Overview. Hyperlinks and policy references were updated. FOM 903-14, Payment Systems Procedures is obsolete and the information was moved to this policy item.

Processes regarding the state paying first for foster care were incorporated in this policy. The time limits for foster care payments section has also been updated with current requirements.

6) FOM 903-8, Payments Requiring Special Processing

Hyperlinks and policy references were updated. Language was changed to clarify that effective 4/1/19 relatives of temporary court wards can receive payment without being licensed. Independent living payments can be made from title IV-E for youth age 18 and older who are otherwise reimbursable. A fund source override may be needed until MiSACWIS changes are made by emailing the Federal Compliance Division (FCD) at mdhhsss-federalcompliancedivision@michigan.gov.

Serious emotional disturbance (SED) waiver and treatment foster care information was removed from this policy item and moved to FOM 903-3, Payment for Family Foster Care.

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7) FOM 903-9, Case Service Payments

Several updates were made to this policy item to clarify the payment processes. CI-14-103, 15-023, 16-009,17-169, and 18-001, all regarding transportation payments, have been incorporated into this policy item.

Changes have been made to both the Assisted Care and One-on-One Supervision sections to reflect the requirements of the program and that these case services are eligible for title IV-E funds.

8) FOM 903-13, Children's Benefit Fund

This policy item was obsoleted as the fund is no longer available.

9) FOM 903-14, Payments Systems Procedures

This policy item was obsoleted and information was moved to FOM 903-1, Payment Overview.

10) FOM 905-3, Foster Care Rates

Hyperlinks and policy references were updated.

11) FOM 905-5, Rates for Child Care Institutions and PAFC Providers (A-Z)

This policy item was updated to correct the hyperlink to the rate spreadsheet.

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FOM 905-3 FOM 905-5

Deleted Items ...

FOM 903-13 FOM 903-14

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